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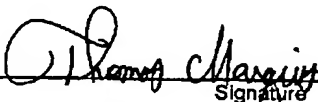
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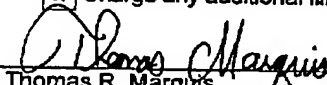
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Invention: ON-LINE SOFTWARE RENTAL				
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated June 23, 2005, please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application as discussed below:

**The current Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 16 of this paper.

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